Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER SPINE 3.0-429 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/648,001-Conf. #3316 August 26, 2003 R. R. Shaffer 3733 Applicant(s): Casey K. Lee Invention: SPINAL IMPLANT TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims **Highest** Remaining Number Number After Previously **Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 8 30 0 50.00 0.00 Х Independent 6 0 210.00 0.00 Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 x Large Entity Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. × The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-1095 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: January 8, 2008 Kevin M. Kocun Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 54,230 LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG, KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP 600 South Avenue West Westfield, New Jersey 07090 (908) 518-6383 I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on

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In response to the Official Action mailed August 21, 2007, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.